

Professional Science Master's in Fisheries and Wildlife Administration Curriculum 2017 - 2018

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Internship Mentor (if known):		Concurrent OSU Degree Program:	

A total of 45 credits hours are required for the Degree, 23 of these must meet stand alone requirements.

Slash courses (4XX/5XX) are courses that meet at their scheduled time or are linked in Canvas with an undergraduate course. Slash courses do not meet graduate stand alone requirements. An * next to a slash course listing designates the slash only applies to the Corvallis Campus section; Ecampus sections are considered stand alone.

Term Intended to Take	Term Taken & Grade		X = Slash Course	Credits	Term and Campus				
					F	W	Sp	Su	
Biophysical Sciences Core (20 credit, including at least 1 Quantitative Skills course)					20				
		BI/FES/MCB/TOX 535 Genes and Chemicals in Agriculture: Value and Risk	X	3	See schedule of classes				
		BOT 540 Field Methods in Plant Ecology	X	4	See schedule of classes				
		FES 536 Carbon Sequestration in Forests		2	See schedule of classes				
		FES 548 Biology of Invasive Plant		3	See schedule of classes				
		FW 519 The Natural History of Whales and Whaling	X	3	H	E			
		FW 521 Aquatic Biological Invasions	X	4		E		H	
		FW 526 Coastal Ecology and Resource Management	X	5	E,H				
		FW 527 Principles of Wildlife Diseases	X	4			E	E	
		FW 535 Wildlife in Agricultural Ecosystems	X	3	E	C	E		
		FW/FES 545 Ecological Restoration	X	4	E		C,E	E	
		FW 551 Avian Conservation and Management (Corvallis - F '19)		3	E				
		FW/FES 552 Forest Wildlife Habitat Management		4					
		FW 554 Fishery Biology	X	4	C	E			
		FW 556 Limnology	X	5			C,E		
		FW 558 Mammal Conservation and Management	X	4	E	E	C		
		FW 562 Ecosystem Services	X	3			E		
		FW 563 Conservation Biology of Wildlife (Corvallis - W '18, '20)		3		C'18	E		
		FW 564 Marine Conservation Biology	X	3	C,H				
		FW 565 Marine Fisheries	X	4	C,H				
		FW/HSTS 570 Ecology and History: Landscapes of the Columbia Basin	X	3		E			
		FW 573 Fish Ecology and Conservation		4		C	E		
		FW 575 Wildlife Behavior		4	E	E		E	
		FW 576 Fish Physiology	X	4			E		
		FW 579 Wetlands and Riparian Ecology (Corvallis - Sp '18, '20)	X*	3	E		C'18,E		
		FW 580 Stream Ecology		3		E			
		FW 581 Wildlife Ecology		3			E		
		FW 597 Aquaculture	X	3	E				
		FW 599 Special Topics in Fisheries and Wildlife	X	2-4	See schedule of classes				
		MNR 530 Tropical Forest Ecology and Management: A Global Perspective		3	See schedule of classes				
		RHP 588 Radioecology	X	3	See schedule of classes				
		SNR 530 Ecological Principles of Sustainable Natural Resources		3	See schedule of classes				
		SNR 540 Global Environmental Change		3	See schedule of classes				
Quantitative Skills in FW Science (2-4 credits)					2-4				
		BEE 511 Global Environmental Change: Using Data to Inform Decisions	X	3	See schedule of classes				
		CH 584 Instruments and Online Interactions in the Sciences		3	See schedule of classes				
		CH 590 Computer Programming for Scientists	X	3	See schedule of classes				
		FES/MNR 522 Research Methods in Social Science	X	4	See schedule of classes				
		FW 524 Introduction to Fisheries Assessment		3			E		
		FW 531 Dynamics of Marine Biological Resources	X	4	See schedule of classes				
		FW 538 Structured Decision Making in Natural Resource Management Lab		2	See schedule of classes				
		FW 540 Vertebrate Population Dynamics		4	See schedule of classes				
		GEOG 580 Remote Sensing I: Principles and Applications (previously GEO 544)	X	4	See schedule of classes				
		GEOG 560 GIScience I: Intro. To Geographic Information Science (previously GEO 565)		4	See schedule of classes				
		MCB/VMB 671 Molecular Tools		3	See schedule of classes				
		ST 511 Methods of Data Analysis	X	4	See schedule of classes				
Social Sciences Core (12 credits total, 5 credit hours from required list, plus 7 additional credits, with at least one course from Policy and one course from Human Dimensions)					12	F	W	Sp	Su
Required (5 credits)					5				
		FW 537 Structured Decision Making in Natural Resource Management		2	See schedule of classes				
		FW 515 Fisheries and Wildlife Law and Policy		3		E	E		
		or FW 620 Ecological Policy		3	E		E		
Policy Courses (3-4 credits)					3 - 4				
		AEC 532 Environmental Law	X	4	See schedule of classes				
		FES/HORT 555 Urban Forest Planning, Policy and Management	X	4	See schedule of classes				
		FW 522 Introduction to Ocean Law	X	3	E				
		GEO 550 Land Use in the American West	X	3	See schedule of classes				
		PS 555 The Politics of Climate Change	X	4	See schedule of classes				
		PS 575 Environmental Politics and Policy	X	4	See schedule of classes				
		PS 576 Science and Politics	X	4	See schedule of classes				
		PS 577 International Environmental Politics and Policy	X	4	See schedule of classes				
		WRP 523 Environmental Water Transactions		3	See schedule of classes				
Human Dimensions Courses (1-5 credits)					1 - 5				
		AEC 534 Environmental and Resource Economics		3	See schedule of classes				

	AEC 544	Commodity Futures and Options Markets	X	4	See schedule of classes				
	AREC/MRM 552	Marine Economics	X	3	See schedule of classes				
	BI/FES/MCB/TOX 535	Genes and Chemicals in Agriculture: Value and Risk	X	3	See schedule of classes				
	FES 553	Nature-Based Tourism	X	3	See schedule of classes				
	FES 554	Managing at the Wildland-Urban Interface	X	3	See schedule of classes				
	FES 585	Consensus and Natural Resources	X	3	See schedule of classes				
	FES 592	Ecosystem Services Ecology, Sociology, Policy	X	3	See schedule of classes				
	FW 526	Coastal Ecology and Resource Management	X	5	E,H				
	FW 549	History of Fisheries Science		3		E			
	FW 583	Species Recovery Planning and Restoration		3	E				
	GEOG 540	Water Resources Management in the United States (previously GEO 525)	X	3	See schedule of classes				
	GEOG 541	International Water Resources Management (previously GEO 524)	X	3	See schedule of classes				
	PHL 543	World Views and Environmental Values	X	3	See schedule of classes				
	SNR 511	Sustainable Natural Resource Development		1	See schedule of classes				
	SNR 520	Social Aspects of Sustainable Natural Resources		3	See schedule of classes				
	SNR 521	Economics of Sustainable Natural Resource Management		3	See schedule of classes				
	SNR 535	Sustainable Management of Aquatic and Riparian Resources		3	See schedule of classes				
	SNR 540	Global Environmental Change		3	See schedule of classes				
	SOC 580	Environmental Sociology	X	4	See schedule of classes				
	SOC 581	Society and Natural Resources	X	4	See schedule of classes				
	WGSS 540	Women and Natural Resources	X	3	See schedule of classes				
Business, Communication, and Management Skills Core Courses (6 credits)				6					
	AG 521	Leadership Development	X	3	See schedule of classes				
	AHE 534	Organizations and Systems Theory		4	See schedule of classes				
	COMM 550	Communication and the Practice of Science		3	See schedule of classes				
	FES 593	Environmental Interpretation	X	4	See schedule of classes				
	FW 514	Professional Development: Meeting Communications		1	E	C,E	E	E	
	PS 579	Topics in Public Policy and Public Administration	X	4	See schedule of classes				
	WR 525	Advanced Scientific and Technical Writing		4	See schedule of classes				
	WRP 521	Water Conflict Management and Transformation		3	See schedule of classes				
Ethics (1-3 credits)				1 - 3					
	GRAD 520	Responsible Conduct of Research		1	See schedule of classes				
	PHL 540	Environmental Ethics	X	3	See schedule of classes				
	PHL 547	Research Ethics		3	See schedule of classes				
	SNR 522	Basic Belief and Ethics in Natural Resources		3	See schedule of classes				
Internship (6 credits, one course)				6					
	FW 510	Professional Internship		1 - 16	E	E	C,E	E	
	or FW 506	Projects		1 - 6	C,E	C,E	C,E	C,E	
Total Credits: Choose your final course(s) from any of the above sections.				45					
Classes are subject to change at anytime: check the online schedule of classes for updates.									
Additional background courses									
These courses are approved for financial aid for Professional Science Masters in Fisheries and Wildlife Administration students but will not count toward a certificate degree. These courses are intended to help students prepare for grad level courses.						F	W	Sp	Su
	BI 370	Ecology		3	C,E	C,E	C,E	E	
	FW 315	Ichthyology		3	C,E	E	E	E	
	FW 320	Introductory Population Dynamics		4	E	C,E	E	E	
	MTH 245	Mathematics for Management, Life and Social Sciences		4	C,E	C,E	C,E	C,E	

If you plan to take a Leave of Absence or change your program of study, please contact the Graduate Certificate Program Coordinator and resubmit this form.

Please review each of the following program requirements:

- A total of 45 credit hours are required for the degree, 23 of these must meet the stand alone requirement.
- Students must enroll for a minimum of three credits each term (except Summer term). Students may request a Leave of Absence for terms in which they do not intend to enroll. Please contact the Graduate Program Coordinator if you intend to take a Leave of Absence.
- All work toward this degree must be completed within seven (7) years. This includes transfer credits, all course work, all examinations, and capstone project.
- A maximum of 6 credits graduate credits may be transferred toward a certificate. All transfer courses listed on the previous pages must be approved by the Program Director and meet one of the following definitions:
 - o Graduate courses taken at OSU while enrolled as a non-degree student, or
 - o Graduate courses taken at OSU while enrolled as a post baccalaureate student, or
 - o Graduate courses taken at OSU and reserved for graduate credit while enrolled as an undergraduate student, or
 - o Graduate courses taken at OSU and reserved for graduate credit while enrolled as a post baccalaureate student, or
 - o Graduate courses taken at other accredited universities after receiving a baccalaureate degree.
- None of the courses listed on this program will be completed with grades of S. I understand that such courses cannot be used in a graduate program.
- None of the courses listed on this program will be completed with letter grades below C (2.00).
- Transfer courses must be earned with grades of B or better and cannot have been used to fulfill requirements for another master's degree. Courses that are graded on a nonstandard basis, such as pass/no pass (P/N), credit/not credit, and satisfactory/unsatisfactory (S/U) cannot be used for transfer credit.